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SUBJECT: EC FOOD AID CONSULTATIONS

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1. MISSION PRACTICE HAS BEEN AND IS TO REPORT BY CABLE ALL NOTIFICATIONS RECEIVED FROM THE COMMISSION AND MEMBER STATES ON EC GRAIN FOOD AID UNDER THE FOOD AID CONVENTION. IN RECENT MONTHS, WE HAVE RECEIVED, IN ADDITION TO GRAIN FOOD AID NOTIFICATIONS, A FEW NOTIFICATIONS OF EC INTENTIONS TO SHIP RELATIVELY SMALL AMOUNTS OF SKIM MILK POWDER TO DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. ONE OF THESE NOTIFICATIONS, RECEIVED IN DECEMBER, CONCERNED 100 MT OF POWDER FOR PERU. WE DID NOT REPORT THIS FOOD AID SHIPMENT BY CABLE. HOWEVER, IN AUGUST 1974, WE REPORTED BY AIRGRAM (EC A-252) EC INTENTIONS TO SHIP 41,000 MT OF POWDER TO DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. THE ENCLOSURE TO THAT AIRGRAM LISTS THE BENEFICIARY COUNTRIES AND QUANTITIES INVOLVED, INCLUDING THE 100 TONS FOR PERU.

2. WE PROPOSE THAT HENCEFORTH THE MISSION CABLE TO WASHINGTON ALL SKIM MILK POWDER AID NOTIFICATIONS INVOLVING A QUANTITY EXCEEDING 1,000 TONS. NOTIFICATIONS ON SMALLER QUANTITIES WOULD BE AIR-
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MAILED TO STATE AND USDA.

3. WE HAVE FOUND A MISPLACED NOTIFICATION RECEIVED FROM THE COMMISSION IN EARLY DECEMBER CONCERNING EC INTENTIONS TO SHIP 2,649 MT OF FLOUR TO MALAGASY REPUBLIC AS PART OF THE EC COMMITMENT FOR 1971/72 UNDER THE FOOD AID CONVENTION. THE 2,649 TONS OF FLOUR, EQUIVALENT TO 4,000 MT OF WHEAT, ARE SCHEDULED TO BE SHIPPED TO MALAGASY IN THE FIRST SIX MONTHS OF 1975. THE UMR IS 30,300 MT OF WHEAT OR THE EQUIVALENT IN WHEAT FLOUR. THE DEADLINE FOR BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS WAS DECEMBER 18, 1974. GREENWALD

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